

Public Printing—House bill No. 278.

The following standing committees filed adverse reports today on bills, as follows:

Stock and Stock Raising—House bill No. 150.

Banks and Banking—House bills Nos. 218 and 214.

State Affairs—House bill No. 267.

EIGHTEENTH DAY.

(Continued.)

(Friday, February 4, 1921.)

The House met at 10 o'clock a. m., and was called to order by Speaker Thomas.

CALL OF THE HOUSE ORDERED.

Mr. Burmeister moved a call of the House for the purpose of maintaining a quorum pending consideration of House bill No. 115, and the call was duly seconded.

The Speaker then directed the Door-keeper to close the main entrance to the Hall and instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to lock all other doors leading from the Hall, and stated that no member would be permitted to leave the Hall without written permission from the Speaker.

The roll was called, and a quorum was announced present.

HOUSE BILL NO. 115 ON ENGROSSMENT.

The House resumed consideration of pending business, same being House bill No. 115, requiring owners, etc., of oil wells to make quarterly reports, on its passage to engrossment, with amendment by Mr. Cox, striking out the enacting clause of the bill, pending.

Mr. Pope offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amend House bill No. 115, line 8, page 2, by inserting "2 per cent" in lieu of "3 per cent" and on line 19, page 2, by inserting " $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent" in lieu of " $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent."

Amend House bill No. 115, lines 23 and 25, page 1, by inserting "2 per cent" in lieu of "3 per cent," and by inserting in lines 26 and 27, page 1 " $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent" in lieu of " $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent."

Mr. Cox then withdrew the amendment striking out the enacting clause of the bill.

Mr. McFarlane offered the following substitutes for the amendments:

Amend House bill No. 115, lines 23 and 25, page 1, by inserting "1 per cent" in lieu of "3 per cent," and by inserting in lines 26 and 27, page 1, " $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent" in lieu of " $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent."

Amend House bill No. 115, line 8, page 2, by inserting "1 per cent" in lieu of "3 per cent," and on line 19, page 2, by inserting " $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent" in lieu of " $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent."

Mr. Lawrence moved to table the substitutes.

Yeas and nays were demanded, and the motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—110.

Adams.	Hendricks.
Aiken.	Hill.
Baker.	Horton.
Baldwin.	Johnson
Barker.	of Gillespie.
Barrett of Fannin.	Johnson of Ellis.
Bass.	Kacir.
Beasley	Kellis.
of Hopkins.	King.
Beasley	Kveton.
of McCulloch.	Laird.
Black, O. B.,	Lauderdale.
of Bexar.	Lawrence.
Bonham.	Leslie.
Branch.	Lindsey.
Bryant.	Looney.
Burmeister.	McDaniel.
Burns.	McKean.
Carpenter.	McLeod.
Childers.	Martin.
Chitwood.	Marshall.
Coffee.	Mathes.
Cox.	Melson.
Crawford.	Miller of Dallas.
Cummins.	Miller of Parker.
Darroch.	Moore.
Davis, John E.,	Morris of Medina.
of Dallas.	Morris
Davis, John,	of Montague.
of Dallas.	Neblett.
Dinkle.	Owen.
Duffey.	Patman.
Duncan.	Perkins
Edwards.	of Cherokee.
Estes.	Perkins of Lamar.
Fly.	Perry.
Fugler.	Pollard.
Garrett.	Pool.
Greer.	Pope.
Grissom.	Quaid.
Hanna.	Quicksall.
Hardin.	Quinn.
Harrington.	Rice.
Harrison.	Rogers of Harris.
Henderson	Rogers of Shelby.
of McLennan.	Rosser.
Henderson	Rowland.
of Marion.	Satterwhite.

Schweppe.	Thomason.
Seagler.	Thompson
Sims.	of Red River.
Stephens.	Thorn.
Stevenson.	Thrasher.
Stewart	Veatch.
of Edwards.	Wadley.
Stewart of Reeves.	Walker.
Swann.	Wallace.
Sweet of Brown.	Webb.
Sweet of Tarrant.	Wessels.
Teer.	Williams
Thomas	of Montgomery
of Limestone.	Wright.

Nays—16.

Beavens.	Jones.
Binkley.	Lackey.
Black, W. A.,	McFarlane.
of Bexar.	Merriman.
Brady.	Mott.
Brown.	Rountree.
Hall.	Shearer.
Johnson	Smith.
of Wichita.	Sneed.

Absent.

Barrett of Bell.	Thompson
Laney.	of Harris.
Malone.	West.
Menking.	Williams
Morgan.	of McLennan.
Neinast.	

Absent—Excused.

Burkett.	Faubion.
Crumpton.	McCord.
Curtis.	Westbrook.

Mr. Veatch offered the following substitute for the amendment:

Amend House bill No. 115, page 2, by striking out "3 per cent," in line 8, and insert "1½ per cent"; strike out "1½ per cent" in line 19 and insert "½ of 1 per cent."

Question—Shall the substitute be adopted?

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. Darroch moved that the House adjourn until 10:55 o'clock a. m., Friday, February 4.

Yeas and nays were demanded, and the motion to adjourn prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—95.

Adams.	Beasley
Aiken.	of McCulloch.
Baldwin.	Beavens.
Barrett of Fannin.	Binkley.
Bass.	Bonham.
Beasley	Black, O. B.,
of Hopkins.	of Bexar.

Black, W. A.,	Mathes.
of Bexar.	Melson.
Brady.	Merriman.
Brown.	Miller of Dallas.
Burns.	Miller of Parker.
Chitwood.	Moore.
Cox.	Morris of Medina.
Crawford.	Neblett.
Cummins.	Owen.
Darroch.	Perry.
Davis, John E.,	Pool.
of Dallas.	Quaid.
Davis, John,	Quinn.
of Dallas.	Rice.
Dinkle.	Rogers of Shelby.
Duffey.	Rountree.
Fly.	Rowland.
Fugler.	Satterwhite.
Garrett.	Schweppe.
Greer.	Seagler.
Hall.	Shearer.
Harrington.	Sims.
Harrison.	Smith.
Henderson	Sneed.
of McLennan.	Stephens.
Henderson	Stewart
of Marion.	of Edwards.
Hendricks.	Stewart of Reeves.
Horton.	Swann.
Johnson	Sweet of Brown.
of Gillespie.	Sweet of Tarrant.
Johnson	Teer.
of Wichita.	Thomas
Jones.	of Limestone.
Kacir.	Thomason.
Kellis.	Thompson
King.	of Red River.
Kveton.	Thorn.
Laird.	Thrasher.
Lauderdale.	Veatch.
Leslie.	Wadley.
Looney.	Webb.
McDaniel.	Wessels.
McFarlane.	Williams
McKean.	of McLennan.
Malone.	Williams
Martin.	of Montgomery.
Marshall.	Wright.

Nays—32.

Mr. Speaker.	Lawrence.
Baker.	Lindsey.
Barker.	McLeod.
Branch.	Morris
Bryant.	of Montague.
Burmeister.	Mott.
Carpenter.	Patman.
Childers.	Perkins
Coffee.	of Cherokee.
Duncan.	Perkins of Lamar.
Edwards.	Pollard.
Estes.	Quicksall.
Grissom.	Rogers of Harris.
Hanna.	Rosser.
Hardin.	Stevenson.
Hill.	Walker.
Lackey.	Wallace.

Present—Not Voting.

Johnson of Ellis.

Absent.

Barrett of Bell.	Pope.
Laney.	Thompson
Menking.	of Harris.
Morgan.	West.
Neinast.	

Absent—Excused.

Burkett.	Faubion.
Crumpton.	McCord.
Curtis.	Westbrook.

The House, accordingly, at 10:50
o'clock a. m., adjourned until 10:55
o'clock a. m., February 4.

NINETEENTH DAY.

(Friday, February 4, 1921.)

The House met at 10:55 o'clock a. m.,
pursuant to adjournment, and was called
to order by Speaker Thomas.

The roll was called and the following
members were present:

Adams.	Dinkle.
Aiken.	Duffey.
Baker.	Duncan.
Baldwin.	Edwards.
Barker.	Estes.
Barrett of Fannin.	Fly.
Bass.	Fugler.
Beasley	Garrett.
of Hopkins.	Greer.
Beasley	Grissom.
of McCulloch.	Hall.
Beavens.	Hanna.
Binkley.	Hardin.
Black, O. B.,	Harrington.
of Bexar.	Harrison.
Black, W. A.,	Henderson
of Bexar.	of McLennan.
Bonham.	Henderson
Brady.	of Marion.
Branch.	Hill.
Brown.	Horton.
Bryant.	Johnson
Burmeister.	of Gillespie.
Burns.	Johnson
Carpenter.	of Wichita.
Childers.	Jones.
Chitwood.	Kacir.
Coffee.	Kellis.
Cox.	King.
Crawford.	Kveton.
Cummins.	Lackey.
Darroch.	Laird.
Davis, John E.,	Lauderdale.
of Dallas.	Lawrence.
Davis, John,	Leslie.
of Dallas.	Lindsey.

Looney.	Satterwhite.
McDaniel.	Schweppe.
McKean.	Seagler.
McLeod.	Shearer.
Malone.	Sims.
Martin.	Smith.
Marshall.	Sneed.
Mathes.	Stephens.
Melson.	Stevenson.
Merriman.	Stewart
Miller of Dallas.	of Edwards.
Miller of Parker.	Stewart of Reeves.
Moore.	Swann.
Morris of Medina.	Sweet of Brown.
Morris	Sweet of Tarrant.
of Montague.	Teer.
Mott.	Thomas
Neblett.	of Limestone.
Owen.	Thomason.
Patman.	Thompson
Perkins	of Red River.
of Cherokee.	Thorn.
Perkins of Lamar.	Thrasher.
Perry.	Veatch.
Pollard.	Wadley.
Pool.	Walker.
Pope.	Wallace.
Quaid.	Webb.
Quicksall.	Wessels.
Quinn.	Williams
Rice.	of McLennan.
Rogers of Harris.	Williams
Rogers of Shelby.	of Montgomery
Rosser.	Wright.
Rountree.	

Absent.

Hendricks.	Neinast.
Johnson of Ellis.	Rowland.

Absent—Excused.

Barrett of Bell.	McFarlane.
Burkett.	Menking.
Crumpton.	Morgan.
Curtis.	Thompson
Faubion.	of Harris.
Laney.	West.
McCord.	Westbrook.

A quorum was announced present.

Prayer was then offered by Rev. J. C.
Mitchell, Chaplain.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED.

The following members were granted
leaves of absence on account of im-
portant business:

Mr. West and Mr. Morgan for today
and tomorrow, on motion of Mr. O. B.
Black of Bexar.

Mr. Faubion for today and tomorrow,
on motion of Mr. Teer.

Mr. Thompson of Harris for today
and tomorrow, on motion of Mr.
Beavens.

Mr. Menking for today and tomorrow,
on motion of Mr. Wessels.